TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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> Re: Docket to Determine the Compliance of BellSouth Telecommunications Inc.'s Operational Support Systems with State and Federal Regulations (Docket No. 01-00362)

In order to assist the Tennessee Regulatory Authority in its analysis of this docket, the Authority requests that you provide the following:

- 1. Copies of all contracts involving OSS testing in the states of Florida and Georgia between BellSouth and the following entities:
 - 1. KPMG Consulting, Inc.
 - 2. Hewlett Packard Company
- 2. Copies of all contracts involving regional OSS testing and/or attestation between BellSouth and Price Waterhouse Coopers, LLC.

Please provide these documents by 3:00 pm on October 12, 2001 in accordance with the Procedural Schedule set forth by the Pre-Hearing Officer in his Order of September 13, 2001.

Should clarification of any item or items contained in this request be needed, please contact Joe Werner at 615-741-2791 ext. 175 or Darlene Standley at 615-741-2791 ext. 149.

Yours truly,

K. David Waddell **Executive Secretary**

c: Parties of Record